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PART V

Season Report for the Week ending with the Thirty-fourth Saturday in 1939
(26th August 1939.)

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 26th August 1939										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week		Upto the end of the week from 1st January 1939										
					This year		Average of past 35 years		Excess (+) or deficit (—) of column 4 compared with column 5						
1	2	3		4		5		6		7					
BANGALORE	Bangalore (observatory)	I. 0	c. 57	I. 1	c. 48	I. 18	c. 34	I. 17	c. 21	I. 1	c. 13	Rice, 2nd sort.	This week Seers 6'75	Past week Seers 6'75	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers 7'00
	Hoskote	0	43	1	01	20	00	13	86	6	14				
	Dodballapur	0	22	1	08	22	31	15	23	7	08				
	Nelamangala	1	12	1	45	16	15	14	86	1	29				
	Kankanhalli	0	00	0	91	17	36	15	18	2	18	Ragi	13'50	14'00	16'00
	Magadi	0	21	1	62	19	44	15	69	3	75				
	Channarayana	0	06	1	05	18	97	16	09	2	88	Kulthi	10'25	10'50	11'00
	Anekal	0	00	1	35	12	86	17	21	—	4 35				
	Devanahalli	0	37	1	05	22	79	14	37	8	42	Kadale	7'75	7'75	8'00
	Closepet	0	00	1	07	12	01	16	21	—	4 20				
	District average	0	30	1	21	18	02	15	59	2	43				
KOLAR	Kolar	0	27	1	15	13	83	13	53	0	30	Rice, 2nd sort.	This week 7'50	Past week 7'00	Past ten years' fortnightly average 7'00
	Bowringpet	0	00	1	02	13	32	13	55	—	0 23				
	Chintamani	0	00	1	05	17	04	12	93	4	11				
	Mulbagal	0	14	1	17	9	37	13	75	—	4 38	Ragi	15'00	13'00	13'00
	Sidlaghatta	0	00	1	11	22	73	14	11	8	62				
	Chikballapur	0	00	1	16	19	03	14	68	4	35				
	Bagepalli	0	00	0	89	11	00	12	42	—	1 42	Kulthi	12'00	12'00	11'00
	Goribidnur	0	00	0	92	13	34	12	91	0	43				
	Malur	0	36	1	29	15	53	14	48	1	05	Kadale	8'00	8'00	7'00
	Srinivasapur	0	12	1	10	16	50	13	47	3	03				
	Gudibanda	0	20	1	34	17	20	14	86	2	34				
	District average	0	10	1	11	15	35	13	70	1	65				
TUMKUR	Tumkur	0	26	1	38	16	12	16	29	—	0 17	Rice, 2nd sort.	This week 9'00	Past week 9'00	Past ten years' fortnightly average 5'00
	Madhugiri	0	41	0	69	14	84	12	61	2	23				
	Chiknaikanhalli	0	25	0	81	15	10	13	40	1	70				
	Sira	0	25	0	59	15	07	10	22	4	85	Ragi	14'00	14'00	11'00
	Gubbi	0	22	1	08	12	52	14	16	—	1 64				
	Tiptur	0	00	0	69	12	75	11	77	0	98				
	Pavagada	0	20	0	72	12	77	9	61	3	16	Kulthi	10'50	10'50	12'00
	Kunigal	0	48	1	35	15	84	14	04	1	80				
	Koratagere	0	00	0	65	10	85	12	61	—	1 76	Kadale	7'50	7'50	5'00
		Turuvekere	0	00	0	87	11	09	12	61	—	1 52			
	District average	0	21	0	88	13	70	12	73	0	97				

District and Station		Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday, the 26th August 1939										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains				
		This week	Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1939				Excess (+) or deficit (-) of column 4 compared with column 5								
				This year	Average of past 35 years											
1		2		3		4		5		6		7				
MYSORE	Mysore (observatory)	I.	a.	I.	a.	I.	a.	I.	a.	I.	a.	Rice, 2nd sort. Ragi Kulthi Kadale	This week Seers 7'50	Past week Seers 7'50	Past ten years' fortnightly average Seers 9'00	
	Chamarajnagar	0	31	0	81	11	57	15	69	—	1					12
	Hunsur	0	00	0	65	11	82	12	97	—	1					15
	Krishnarajnagar	0	28	0	61	11	76	18	02	—	8					26
	Heggaddevankote	0	30	0	34	11	00	13	25	—	2					25
	Gundlupet	1	10	0	63	19	10	24	67	—	5					57
	Nanjangud	0	00	0	43	14	11	13	64	—	0					47
	T.-Narsipur	0	03	0	73	13	92	15	82	—	1					90
MANDYA	Periyapatna	0	07	0	84	12	96	14	00	—	1	04				
	District average	0	28	0	67	18	82	21	66	—	2	84				
	Mandya (observatory)	0	00	0	82	10	35	12	80	—	2	45				
	Seringapatam	0	27	0	61	09	28	13	23	—	3	95				
	Malvalli	0	00	0	63	11	93	12	81	—	0	88				
	Krishnarajpete	0	00	0	63	08	82	14	90	—	6	08				
	Nagamangala	0	00	0	74	10	28	11	77	—	1	49				
	Maddur	0	04	0	88	13	57	12	58	—	0	99				
HASSAN	French-Rocks	0	20	0	62	13	36	12	69	—	0	67				
	District average	0	07	0	70	11	08	12	96	—	1	88				
	Hassan (observatory)	1	63	0	64	12	49	20	16	—	7	67				
	Manjarabad (Saklespur)	12	51	2	59	62	43	74	09	—	11	66				
	Arkalgud	2	57	0	75	19	81	24	44	—	4	63				
	Belur	1	65	0	55	19	46	26	84	—	7	38				
	Channarayapatna	0	40	0	66	10	54	14	33	—	3	79				
	Arsikere	0	07	0	69	11	95	13	15	—	1	20				
SHIMOGA	Hole-Narsipur	1	26	0	38	08	85	15	38	—	6	53				
	Alur	2	11	0	96	19	35	29	22	—	9	87				
	District average	2	78	0	90	20	61	27	20	—	6	59				
	Shimoga	1	98	0	76	14	97	20	81	—	5	84				
	Channagiri	1	28	0	90	16	23	17	48	—	1	25				
	Honnali	0	52	0	38	13	31	13	14	—	0	17				
	Shikarpur	2	86	0	89	20	40	24	86	—	4	46				
	Scrab	4	95	1	73	36	96	47	91	—	10	95				
KADUR	Sagar	6	97	3	06	54	15	68	44	—	14	29				
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)	12	17	2	81	80	77	88	31	—	7	54				
	Tirthahalli	14	36	4	33	86	04	102	61	—	16	57				
	Kumsi	3	62	1	15	22	81	29	94	—	7	13				
	District average	5	41	1	77	38	40	45	94	—	7	54				
	Chikmagalur	1	44	0	48	21	89	23	02	—	1	13				
	Kadur	0	50	0	22	11	86	11	86	—	0	00				
	Tarikere	2	83	0	92	18	90	23	86	—	4	96				
CHITALDRUG	Koppa	14	30	4	08	87	37	96	46	—	9	09				
	Mudgere	9	55	2	49	60	95	75	27	—	14	32				
	Narasimharajpura	7	44	2	37	44	86	57	45	—	12	59				
	Sringeri	15	70	5	88	110	07	121	55	—	11	48				
	District average	7	39	2	35	50	84	58	49	—	7	65				
	Chitaldrug(observatory)	0	38	0	72	20	38	12	65	—	7	73				
	Challakere	0	00	0	50	11	63	08	19	—	3	44				
	Hiriyur	0	21	0	59	09	32	10	39	—	1	07				
	Holalkere	0	79	0	73	12	53	13	05	—	0	52				
	Davangere	0	74	0	79	12	62	13	49	—	0	87				
	Molakalmuru	0	38	0	27	17	31	10	51	—	6	80				
	Jagalur	0	49	0	64	18	99	11	27	—	7	72				
	Hosdurga	0	42	0	52	09	33	12	06	—	2	73				
	Harihar	0	76	0	66	06	89	11	27	—	4	38				
	District average	0	46	0	67	13	22	11	43	—	1	79				
	Provincial average	2	12	1	28	24	36	26	83	—	2	47				

No 1—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa
Ragi—Eleusine Corocana.
Kulthi—(Horsegram) Dolichos Biflorus.

Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare.
Kadale—(Bengalgram) Cicer Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.
11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Crops Sown*.—Horsegram in parts of Bangalore South Taluk and cabbage in parts of Hoskote Taluk.
Standing Crops.—Paddy, sugarcane, ragi, avare and togari in parts of Hoskote, Doddaballapur, Channapatna, Devanahalli and Closepet Taluks; paddy, ragi, avare and thogari in parts of Bangalore North and Magadi Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk; potatoes and groundnut in parts of Hoskote Taluk are reported to be in good condition.
Rain is wanted in parts of Bangalore South, Kankanhalli, Channapatna, Anekal and Closepet Taluks.
Crops Harvested.—Gingilly, paddy and potatoes in parts of Bangalore South Taluk.
10. Fair.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy but for the prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Channapatna Taluk and Blackquarter in parts of Closepet Taluk.
Necessary action is being taken to check the spread of the diseases.
Water and fodder are generally available but for the scarcity of fodder felt in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk. The State Forests in Sathnur and Uyyamballi Hoblis of that taluk have been thrown open for free grazing.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Weeding operation is going on in Bagepalli Taluk.
Crops Sown.—Paddy in Srinivasapur and Chikballapur Taluks; horsegram in Goribidnur and Chikballapur Taluks.
Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, ragi, avare and groundnut in all Taluks; til in Kolar and Malur Taluks; thogari in Kolar and Goribidnur Taluks; punaji paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Srinivasapur Taluks; saje in Kolar Taluk; castor in Sidlaghatta Taluk; same in Kolar, Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks; kaki jola in Sidlaghatta and Chikballapur Taluks; paddy in Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks; onions in Chikballapur Taluk; tobacco in Goribidnur Taluk; Samanthige flowers and green chillies in Malur Taluk; horsegram in Srinivasapur Taluk; turmeric in Goribidnur Taluk, are reported to be in good condition. Dry and wet crops are in need of rains urgently in Chintamani.
Crops Harvested.—Green chillies, Samanthige flowers and groundnuts in Malur Taluk; potatoes and onions in Sidlaghatta Taluk; til in Kolar Taluk.
10. Public health is generally good except for plague in Nambihalli and other villages in Srinivasapur Taluk, Nadikere Village of Chintamani Taluk, Rajenahalli, Dodda Iggalur and Madival Villages in Malur Taluk, Harobande in Chikballapur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken in all these places to check the spread of the disease.
11. Cattle are reported to be healthy.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Fodder and water are generally available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.
9. *Seeds Sown*.—Kulthi in Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks; sugarcane, paddy and greengram in Madhugiri Taluks; ragi, avare and cholam in Gubbi and Madhugiri Taluks, are reported to have been sown.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare and thogari in all the taluks; groundnut, castor and cholan in Turuvekere, Tumkur, Madhugiri and Pavagada Taluks; sugarcane and paddy in Madhugiri, Gubbi, Tiptur and Kunigal Taluks, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi under wells in Sira Taluk is reported to have been harvested.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of 'Black-quarter' in Kannenahalli in Tumkur Taluk.

It is reported that preventive measures are being taken by the Veterinary Department to check the spread of the epidemic.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Ragi in parts of Krishnarajnagar and Nanjangud; horsegram in parts of Nanjangud, Periyapatna and Gundlupet. Transplantation of paddy is reported to be going on in Heggaddevankote and Krishnarajnagar and that of tobacco in Heggaddevankote Taluk.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and til in Heggaddevankote; tobacco in Periyapatna and jola in Gundlupet and Chamarajnagar Taluks.

Standing Crops.—It is reported that standing crops in parts of the District still require rains.

10. Food stuffs are reported to be available in all the taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Scarcity of water for cattle is felt in a number of villages of Periyapatna Sub-Taluk. Many State Forests in the District have been thrown open for the free grazing of the cattle in the affected areas.

MANDYA.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—It is reported that paddy is being transplanted in parts of Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks and horsegram is being sown in French-Rocks Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Such as paddy in parts of Mandya, Seringapatam, Malvalli, Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks; sugarcane in parts of Mandya, Malvalli, Maddur and French-Rocks Taluks; irrigated ragi in parts of Mandya Taluk; and ragi, jola in parts of Maddur Taluk are reported to be in a fair condition. It is reported that standing crops are in need of rain.

Crops Harvested.—It is reported that jola is being harvested in parts of Malvalli Taluk; and sugarcane is being cut and removed in parts of Mandya and Krishnarajpet Taluks.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are reported to be available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Transplantation of ragi is reported to be in progress in parts of Arkalgud and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; ragi and thogari were sown in parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Such as ragi, paddy and sugarcane in Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, cotton and sugarcane in Belur Taluk; paddy, ragi, avare, thogari and sugarcane in Chennarayapatna Taluk; til, ragi, castor and chillies in Arsikere Taluk; and ragi, sugarcane and paddy in Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be fair.

Crops Harvested.—Such as til, jola and sugarcane in parts of Chennarayapatna Taluk, and groundnut, til and jola in parts of Arsikere Taluk are reported to be under harvest.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be favourable.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Transplantation of paddy in the Taluks of Shimoga, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli; horsegram and millet in Honnali Taluk are being sown. Weeding operation in Sorab Taluk is going on.
Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in all the Taluks; ragi, jola, groundnut, cotton, etc., in Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; ragi in Sorab and Kumsi Sub-Taluk; chillies in Sorab Taluk are all in good condition.
10. Prospects of the season are fair.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
Food grains are available.
11. *Condition of Cattle*.—Cattle are generally healthy all over the district, except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Vajagur and Benavalli villages and "Foot and Mouth" disease in Kadasur Village of Nagar Taluk. Necessary action has been taken to check the spread of disease by the concerned Veterinary Inspectors.
Fodder and Water are available.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Nil.
Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, jola, sugarcane, blackgram, greengram, castor and groundnut are reported to be in good condition.
Crops Harvested.—It is reported that coriander and til are being harvested in Kadur Taluk and the probable yield is stated to be from Re. 0-8-0 to Re. 0-10-0.
It is reported that Koleroga to areca is prevalent in parts of Koppa, Narasimharajpur and Sringeri Taluks and that necessary remedial measures are being taken in this behalf. The Senior Assistant Director of Agriculture, Chikmagalur also has been addressed in the matter.
10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.
Food grains are available and their prices are remaining steady.
Cooly classes find sufficient labour.
11. Cattle are reported to be in good health and water and fodder are available to them.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.
9. *Agricultural Operations*.—Sowing of jola, groundnut, blackgram, greengram and cotton in Chitaldrug Taluk; cotton, navane, horsegram and saje in Chellakere Taluk; navane and cotton in Hiriyur Taluk; horsegram, navane and cotton in Holalkere Taluk; cotton and navane in Jagalur Taluk; horsegram and navane in Hosdurga Taluk; and cotton in Harihar Sub-Taluk is reported to be going on.
Standing Crops.—Standing crops such as ragi, jola, groundnut and cotton are reported to be in good condition.
Crops Harvested.—Nil.
10. Prospects of the season are good.
11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of Black-quarter in Mondlur, Voddanahalli and Halawartha Villages of Davangere Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector concerned has been addressed to adopt necessary preventive measures to check the spread of the disease.
Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore. 29th August 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.

Statement showing the prices current (retail) of rice (2nd sort), ragi and horsegram at the several Taluk Headquarters for the week ending Saturday, the 26th August 1939.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 50 tolas			District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas		
		Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram			Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horsegram
		Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.			Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.	Srs. ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North ...	6 12	13 8	10 4	Mandya	Mandya ...	7 8	15 0	10 0
	" South ...	7 0	15 0	10 0		Seringapatam ...	8 0	13 0	10 8
	Hoskote ...	8 0	15 0	11 0		Malvalli ...	7 8	13 0	10 0
	Dodballapur ...	8 0	16 8	10 0		Krishnarajpete ...	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Nelamangala ...	8 0	15 8	10 0		Nagamangala ..	8 0	13 0	11 0
	Kankanhalli ...	7 0	14 0	11 0		Maddur ...	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Magadi ...	9 0	14 0	11 8		French-Rocks ...	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Channapatna ...	8 0	13 0	10 0		Hassan ...	8 0	16 0	12 0
	Anekal ...	7 4	15 0	12 0		Manjarabad ...	8 0	12 0	10 0
	Devanhalli ...	7 8	14 0	10 0		Arkalgud ...	9 0	19 8	9 0
Kolar	Closepet ...	8 0	14 0	10 0	Hassan	Belur ...	8 4	16 0	10 0
	Kolar ...	7 8	14 0	11 0		Channarayapatna ...	8 0	14 0	10 0
	Bowringpet ...	7 8	15 0	10 0		Arsikere ...	9 0	16 0	11 0
	Chintamani ...	8 0	16 0	11 0		Hole-Narsipur ...	8 0	15 0	11 0
	Mulbagal ...	8 0	13 0	10 0		Alur ...	9 0	15 0	10 0
	Sidlaghatta ...	8 0	16 0	11 0		Shimoga ...	7 4	18 0	11 0
	Chikballapur ...	8 0	15 0	10 0		Channagiri ...	9 0	20 0	12 0
	Bagepalli ...	8 0	16 0	12 0		Honnali ...	8 8	20 0	12 0
	Goribidnur ...	8 0	16 0	11 0		Shikarpur ...	9 0	20 0	8 0
	Malur ...	7 0	13 8	10 0		Sorab ...	8 0	22 0	10 0
Tumkur	Srinivasapur ...	8 0	15 0	11 0	Shimoga	Sagar ...	7 8	16 0	10 0
	Gudibanda ...	8 0	16 0	12 0		Hosanagar ...	9 0	15 0	10 0
	Tumkur ...	9 0	14 0	10 8		Tirthahalli ...	8 8	14 0	9 0
	Madhugiri ...	8 0	16 0	10 0		Kumsi ...	8 8	16 0	10 0
	Chiknalkanhalli ..	8 8	14 8	12 0		Chikmagalur ...	8 8	15 0	10 8
	Sira ...	10 0	14 0	9 0		Kadur ...	8 0	18 0	11 0
	Gubbi ...	10 0	14 0	10 0		Tarikere ...	9 8	16 8	11 0
	Tiptur ...	8 0	15 0	11 0		Koppa ...	10 0	16 0	10 0
	Pavagada ...	9 0	13 0	14 0		Mudgere ...	7 8	14 0	9 8
	Kunigal ...	9 0	14 0	10 0		Narasimharajpura ...	10 0	14 0	9 0
Mysore	Koratagere ...	9 0	16 0	10 0	Kadur	Sringeri ...	10 0	15 0	11 0
	Turvekere ...	8 0	14 0	12 0		Chitaldrug ...	7 0	16 0	11 0
	Mysore ...	7 8	13 0	10 0		Challakere ...	9 0	17 0	12 0
	Chamarajnagar ...	8 0	14 0	10 0		Hiriyur ...	10 0	19 0	11 0
	Hunsur ...	8 8	16 0	11 0		Holalkere ...	8 0	17 0	11 0
	Krishnarajnagar ...	8 8	15 0	10 0		Davangere ...	8 8	16 0	12 8
	Heggaddevankote ..	8 0	16 0	10 0		Molakalmuru ...	8 8	18 0	12 0
	Gundlupet ...	7 12	15 0	9 12		Jagalur ...	9 0	20 0	12 0
	Nanjangud ...	8 0	13 0	12 0		Hosdurga ...	10 0	19 0	12 0
	T.-Narsipur ...	7 8	12 0	10 0		Harihar ...	8 0	18 0	12 0
	Periyapatna ...	10 0	16 0	11 0					

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated the 29th August 1939.

S. ABDUL WAJID,
Revenue Commissioner.